

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Smith, William M. )  
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For: Method and Apparatus for an )  
Adjustable Trailer )  
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Examiner: Michael S. Lowe

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is a response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on January 30, 2009. As this response is within the thirty-day time period for response, which extends until March 2, 2009, Applicant believes no extension of time is necessary. Applicant hereby requests reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application in view of the following remarks and amendments. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 16 of this paper.